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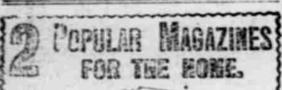


that nine-tenths of my troubles were caused by constipation, I began the use of Ayer's Pills, with the most satisfactery results, never having a single attack that did not readily yield to tais remedy. My wife, who had been an invalid for years, also began to use Ayer's Pills, and her health was quickly restored. With my children I had nopreceded by constipation, and I soon had the pleasure of knowing that with children as with parents, Ayer's Pills, if taken in season, avert all danger of sickness."-H. WETTSTEIN, Byron, Ill.

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Steps Towards Marriage.

By Fred B. Suydam.

The first step is to find a girl willing to marry you "for better or for worse," and she may get the "worse."

Always vote the same ticket her father does.

Don't give your prospective fatherin-law any advice until he asks for it.

Whenever her mother asks you to go to church, go, whether you care to

When you call to see your sweetheart have a few good cigars-not stogies-for the "old gent," and a small bunch of flowers for the 'old

Never introduce your sweetheart to your pal. He might make better progress than your worthy self. Take no chances.

Be careful what you say to the girl but when you do say anything of importance make it plain. You've heard of breach of promise suits, havn't you?

If she has another "gentleman friend" that calls and you find it out, invent some means to keep him away or else quit the game yourself.

If she has blond hair, don't tell her you are passionately fond of orunettes.

Don't tell her you are wealthy. She may wonder why you are not more iberal.

Don't for a moment believe that she is an angel from heaven," and don't try to make her think you are. If she is a New York girl I question your ability to succeed.

Should you become sick in bed see to it that a report that you are dying, etc., reaches your sweetheart's ears. When she calls to see you then judge

When you call to see her, if she invites you to a scat in the conversation gets the largest sum. The California chair, and you sit upon some chewing congressmen get on an average of gum or taffy, don't swear. Just say .. here he left his hunk of gum.

> Insist upon the gas being turned low. Saves expense; besides, "love is

When she begins to yawn, you begin to go home, and when you do to son, but debts go the other way. start, particularly if it be a cold winter's evening, don't stand on the front step with your arm around her waist for an lour or so. You may catch cold, or something worse-her pa's

Den't write many love letters. In case you have a falling out she will show them to your lady friends. And don't for an instant get the idea in your cranium that she has destroyed them. She never will! !! !!!

Be sure it's the girl and not her pretty face (should she have one) you're in love with. In after' years her beauty will fade.

If after a few months everything sails along smoothly and you havn't had over forty quarrels stay by her over a week's having as he will in try and don't take chances with any other ing to raise a car window to oblige

When you become engaged have the girl understand that after you're who shakes hands with you expecting married she will be expected to do to find a dollar in his hand when he the house work. Don't let her laber lets go. under the delusion that she can empley two or three servants on your

Marry to oblige none but yourself.

Some Don'ts That Wheelmen Would Do well to Fellow.

Don't hurry.

Don't be without a bell.

Den't eat too much just before rid-

Don't forget to be a gentleman. It costs nothing.

Don't fail to ring your bell at all street crossings.

Don't forget the law about carrying a lamp at night.

Don't race with every fellow who comes along on a wheel.

Don't drink ice water while tiding

or at any time when heated.

Don't try road riding without a tool box strapped to your wheel.

Don't ride on a side path without ke ping a good lookout ahead.

Don't drink freely at every spring.

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Don't expect that road riding is al ways like riding through the parks.

Don't ride too far. Fifty miles per day is enough for the average mortal.

Don't try road riding wearing fine clothing and expecting to keep it

Don't try to ride fifty miles in one day until after you have done some

Don't wear thin clothes. Sudden changes in the weather may provoke serious illness.

Don't ride in a hilly country on a light wheel without having a brake New Yorker, now 53 years old. attached to the wheel. Don't take more than your share of

the road. Carts and pedestrians have their rights as well as you. Don't "go" at a moderate hill as

though you were bent on making the final spurt in a track race. Don't ride long and rapidly under a not sun. Sunstroke is not uncommon

to riders who are reckless. Don't continue riding after a feeling of exhaustion begins to come over you. Jump off and rest for a while.

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Stray Thoughts.

Peauty covers a multitude of sins. It is pleasent to be called a man

even by a small Loy. Peauty isn't even "skin deep" in the case of the girl with freckles.

Sins are handed down from father

Man wants but little here below, but he isn't willing to pay cash for it.

forgive the person you have wronged. A woman never realizes how clumsy

a man is until after she has married It makes a difference not only whose ox is gored, but whose ox

does the goring. Horace Greeley lived too soon; nowadays, when a man can't write his name legibly, he buys a rubber stamp

Even if we cannot give fourth my of sunshine, it is not necessary for us to go out of the way to cast shadows

A man will not perspire as much pretty girl.

Don't be too intimate with the man

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There undoubtedly are those who build better than they know, but, unfortunately, we cannot get them to build our houses .- IV. I. Horton in the Century.

Ages of Prominent Men.

Cal. Brice is now 51.

Don Cameron is 63 years old.

Senator Vest is a Kentuckian aged

Senator Hoar was born in Concord

Grover Cleveland is 59 and Benjamin Harrison is 63.

Arthur P. Gorman is a native Marylander, aged 57.

Senator John M. Palmer is a Kentuckian, and is now 79.

Dan Voorhees was born Sept. 26, 1827, in Butler Co., Ohio. John Sherman was born at Lan-

caster, Ohio, May 10, 1823. Senator Allison was born in Perry,

David Bennett Hill is a native

Ohio, and is 67 years old.

Levi Parsons Morton was born at Shoreham, Vt., May 16, 1824.

Wm. McKinley's birthplace is Niles, Ohio, and he is 52 years old.

Thomas Brackett Reed was born at Portland, Maine, Oct. 18, 1839.

Richard P. Bland was born near Hartford, Kentucky, Aug. 18, 1835. Gen. John B. Gordon was born in

Upson county, Ga., Feb. 6, 1832. Jerry Simpson came from New Brunswick, where he was born March 31, 1842.

Secretary John G. Carlisle is a native of Kenton Co., Ky., and is now

Ex-Speaker Charles F. Crisp is a January 29, 1845.

Shelby M. Cullom came from Wayne county, Ky., where he was bern November 22, 1829.

THE old veterans who reside in the city began to assemble quite early in the morning, for to them "Decoration Day" is the grand festival of the dead. and of all the holidays there are none that equal the day upon which they remember their dead. On that day they live in a different atmosphere It requires the effort of your life to from any other day in the year. It is theirs and theirs alone to do so, for those who have not passed through the e-ulcal test of the war can do so .--Moberly Moniter.

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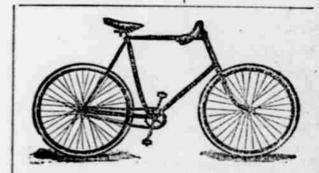
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Circuit Clerk. A time copy from the record.
Witness my hand shell the scal of the Circuit Court of Character County, this 25th day

Whereas James M Gunu and Martha
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of administration on the estate of against deep the main, deceased, have been against meaning the particular and marthal and recorded in the collect of the recorder of cased of Chariton county. Missouri, in book 19 of mortgages, at page 251, conveyed to the underskined in trust to secure the payment of themset in rail deed of trust particularly occasion, the real of trust particularly occasion, the real cased in Chariton county, Missouri, described as follows, to wit: The southwest quarter (4) of the northeast quarter within the payment of the northeast quarter (5) of section number twenty (20) (except as that particular cast and south of Missouri described as the particular and the payment of the payment o (ii) of section number twenty (20) (except an that part lying cast and south of M ddle Fork of Charlton river, containing 10 acres); also the west half (ii) of the south cast quarter (ii) and the routh half (iii) of the south half (iii) of the northeast quarter (ii) of section number cigaten (ii) in township number fifty-three (ii) of range number sixteen (ii), containing 10 acres. And whereas default has been made for more than thirty days in the payment of one of the interest coupons attached to rad note. And whereas the legal holder of said note has requested me to execute the power vented in me by rad deed of trust to sail said real entate, and out of the proceeds of said sale to pay the indebtedness secured thereby, having elected to declare the full smooth thereof due and payable, and inpursuance of the power vested in the refere in compliance with said request, and inpursuance of the power vested in and inpursuance of the power vested in in me by said deed of trust, I will sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for each on FRIDAY THE TWENTY-SIXAH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1875, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. at the east

Trustee's Sale. Whereas James M Gunn and Martha A. Gunn, his wife, by their certain deed

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